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May 4, 2010

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Subject: Agency Notification of Determination of Administrative Completeness for Postmining Land Use Change and Phase III Bond Release, Plateau Mining Corporation, Star Point Mine, C/007/0006, Task ID #3534, Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Levanger:

The Division has determined that the permit application for a postmining land use change at Star Point Mine is administratively complete. The proposed land use change is to industrial for oil and gas production and will involve 40 acres on the east side of the permit area. The area includes 8 acres of mining disturbed area that has previously been reclaimed. Final Bond Release (Phase III) is being sought on the 8-acre parcel as well as release of liability on the entire 40-acre parcel. A public notice for the change in postmining land and Phase III Bond Release was published in the Sun Advocate on April 1, 8, 15 and 22, 2010.

In compliance with the Utah Coal Mining Rules R645-300-121.300, R645-300-121.310, R645-300-121-320, R645-301-880.600 and the Utah Coal Mining Act (UCA Section 40-10-1 et. seq.), notice is hereby given to all appropriate agencies having a jurisdiction or an interest in the area of the operations that this application is available for public review.

This permit area is located in Carbon County. A location map is attached for your reference. The location of the 40-acre postmining land use change is the SE/4 SE/4 Sec. 9, T. 15 S., R. 8 E.

This permit application is available for public review at:

Coal Regulatory Program
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
P.O. Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Carbon County Courthouse
120 East Main Street
Price, Utah 84501



Please provide written comments or objections to the change in postmining land use or Phase III Bond Release by May 27, 2010. Comments may be addressed to:

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A final bond release inspection will be scheduled at the site following the comment period. A subsequent letter invitation will be provided to you identifying the date and time for the final inspection. If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5320, or Daron Haddock at (801) 538-5325.

Sincerely,

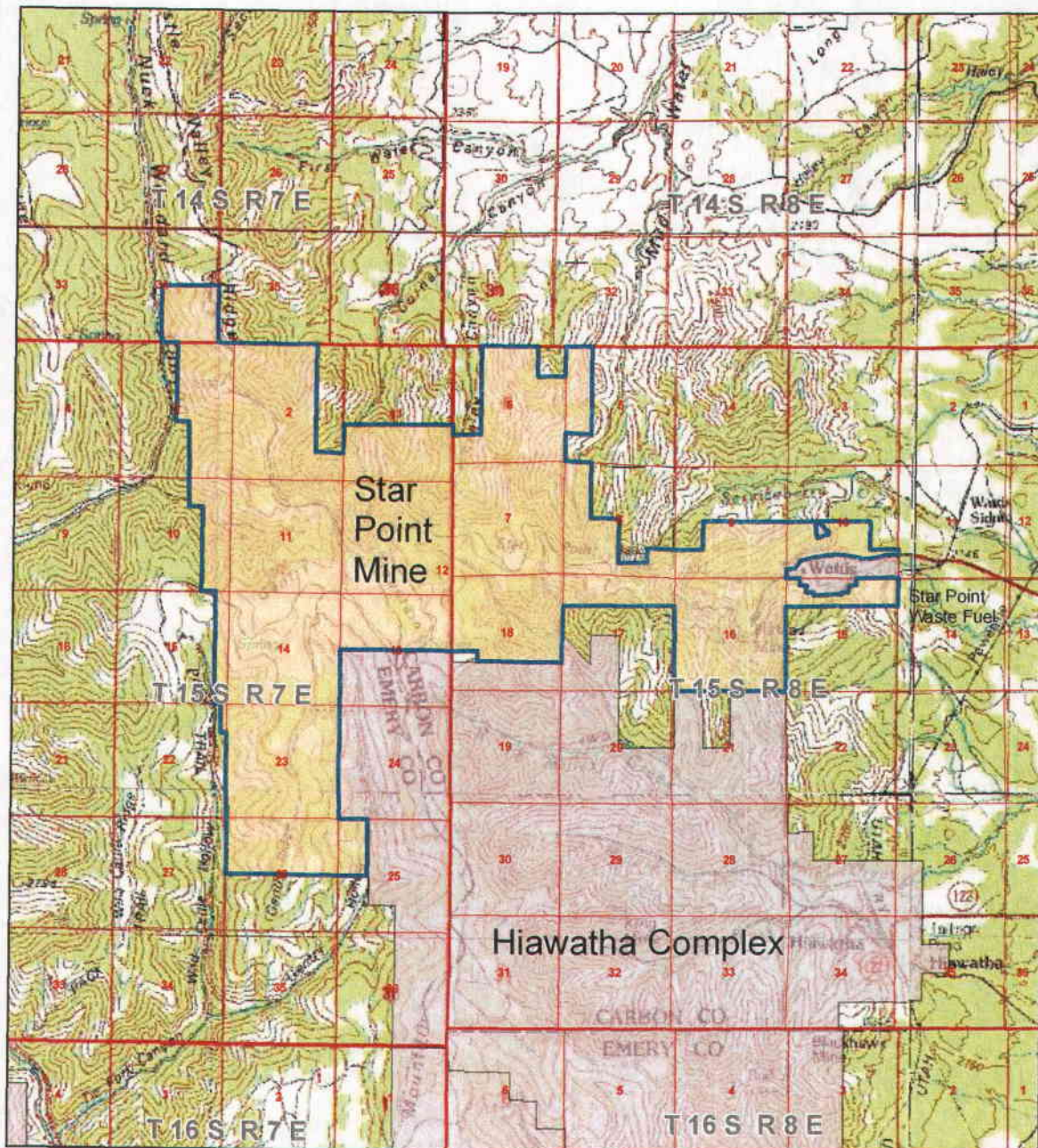


Associate Director, Mining

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cc: Price Field Office

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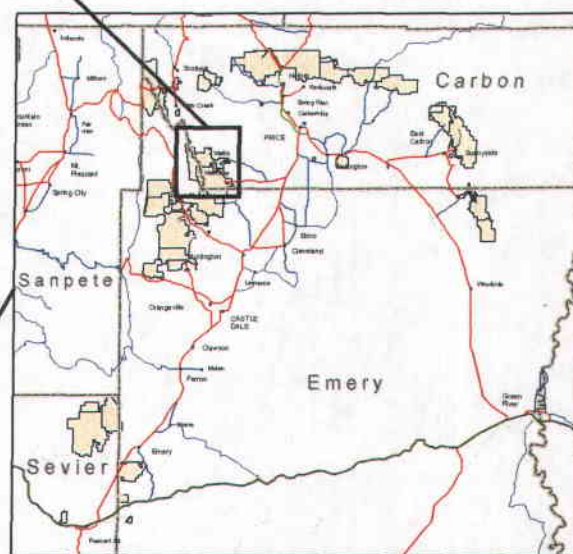
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Township 14 South Range 7 & 8 East
Township 15 South Range 7 & 8 East

- Permit Area
- Proposed Mine Plan Modification (if shown)
- Proposed State Permit Modification
- Active Permit
- In Reclamation
- Relained-Final Bond Release



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Locator Map

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